

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates.

The conglomeration of media is a terrible idea, crowding out minority viewpoints and homogenizing the news. Please do not allow for greater merging of networks and the shrinking of diversity in radio and television in local markets.